SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Insurance to Original Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Long

1 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 1</u>

- 2 On page 1, delete line 17 and insert in lieu thereof the following:
- 3 "provisions of R.S. 22:996 and 1021."
- 4 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 2</u>
- 5 On page 2, delete line 1 in its entirety.
- 6 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 7 On page 2, line 19, after "**pediatricians.**" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines
- 8 20 through 22 in their entirety
- 9 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- 10 On page 2, line 26, change "physicians." to "physicians, with the exception of
- 11 chiropractic physicians. A health insurance issuer may apply the same lower
- 12 copayments for services provided by physician extenders such as physician assistants
- 13 and nurse practitioners."
- 14 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- On page 3, between lines 1 and 2, insert the following:
- 16 "E. Implementation of the provisions of the Section shall have no effect on the total
- 17 rate of reimbursement specified in an agreement between a health issuer and a health
- 18 care provider."